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State History Announces Award Winners

At its annual conference in September, State History announced the winners of its 2008 History

Awards:

Outstanding Achievement Awards:

- Stratford Hotel, Salt Lake City, for a renovation that combines affordable housing, mixed use, livability, sustainability, and historic preservation.
- Utah State Capitol, for one of the finest, most meticulous major preservation projects ever completed in the United States.
- Salt Lake Tabernacle, for preserving and enhancing the historic fabric while protecting the building seismically.

Outstanding Contribution Awards:

- Roy D. Tea, for 48 years of researching, photographing, and marking California Trails in western states.
- Gibbs Smith of Gibbs Smith Books, for many years of publishing Utah history, including textbooks.
- Karen Krieger of the Utah Division of State Parks, for her commitment to preserving, interpreting, and providing public access to cultural artifacts.

William P. MacKinnon Award for Staff Development

Arie Leeflang, Archaeology Records Manager for State History

Publication Awards:

- Richard Ian Kimball, "The Right Sort to Bring to the City: Jack Johnson, Boxing, and Boosterism in Salt Lake City": Dale L. Morgan Award for the best scholarly article in the *Utah Historical Quarterly* in 2007.
- Benjamin Harris, "In Deed and in Word: The Anti-Apartheid Movement at the University of Utah, 1978-1987": Charles Redd Center for Western Studies Award for the best general-interest article in *UHQ* in 2007.

- Robert Parson, "Leftward March: Student Liberalism at the Utah State Agricultural College": Nick Yengich Memorial Award for the *UHQ* article selected as editors' choice.
- Ted Moore, "Democratizing the Air: the Salt Lake Women's Chamber of Commerce and Air Pollution, 1936-1945": Best Utah Historic Article Award for an article appearing in a publication other than the *Utah Historical Quarterly*.
- Jenny Reeder, "Representative Women of Deseret: Strategic Re-Imaging of American Victorian Female Respectability": Helen Papanikolas Award for the best college student's paper on Utah women's history.
- B. Camon Hardy, *Doing the Works of Abraham: Mormon Polygamy: Its Origin, Practice, and Demise:* Smith-Pettit Foundation Best Documentary Book on Utah History Award
- Frederick H. Swanson, Dave Rust: A Life in the Canyons: Francis Armstrong Madsen Best Utah History Book Award.

Honorary Life Member

Linda Thatcher, retired Research and Collections Coordinator for State History.

Utah State Historical Society Fellows

- B. Carmon Hardy
- Gary Shumway

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